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Title: Bridging Between A Data  
Representation Language  
Message-Based Distributed  
Computing Environment  
And Other Environments

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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of January 7, 2005, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.